



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Examiner : Georgia L. Helmer
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 2, 2003 for the above-identified application, amendments and/or remarks submitted herewith include:

- Amendments to the Claims with a complete claim listing; and
- Remarks and arguments.



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AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants petition for a two month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 as set forth on the attached PTO/SB/22.

FEEES

The claim fees have been calculated as follows:

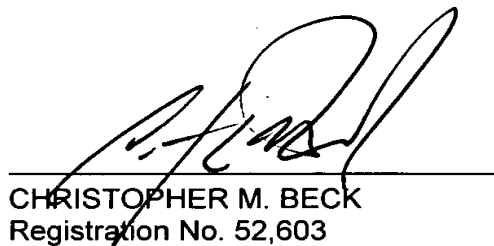
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total	21	—	53	= 0 x \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00
Independent	3	—	3	= 0 x \$ 84.00 =	\$ 0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM+ \$ 280.00 =					\$ 0.00
DEDUCTION FOR SMALL BUSINESS ENTITY STATUS -					\$ 0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE					\$ 0.00

FEE PAYMENT

Authorization is hereby given to charge **\$420.00** (Fee Code 1252), as well as any deficiencies in the fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 03-3975 under **Order No. 070608/0263754**.

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